

- brum impressed at middle; pronotal punctures scarcely recognizable (female); California..... P. CALAVERAS Blaisdell 1923
8. Pronotal sides broadly rounded and subparallel toward base, more convergent and more nearly straight anteriorly, apex truncate; elytra with impressed lines, disc feebly elevated along the suture (male); southern California..... P. FALLI Casey 1893
- Pronotal sides broadly arcuate, somewhat broadly feebly sinuate at middle, apex arcuate; elytra without impressed lines, not elevated along suture in male; Idaho..... P. LANEI Blaisdell 1923

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